Week of Weeding August 26—September 1

The Northeast Library System is declaring August 26-September 1, 2012 a "Week of Weeding!" We want to encourage everyone to participate by agreeing to weed a section by that they have been avoiding. You know what it is—that corner, that shelf,

of their library that they have been avoiding. You know what it is—that corner, that shelf, that genre of books that you have put off weeding for awhile. Now's the time!

ALL libraries in NELS are eligible to participate!

How to Participate:

- 1. Call the NELS Office (800-578-1014 or 402-564-1586) or send Jessica an email (jchamberlain.nels@gmail.com) to let us know you want to participate.
- 2. If you need extra encouragement or help deciding what to weed, let Jessica know. She will be visiting 5 libraries during this week to lend a helping hand.
- 3. After you finish your weeding project, fill out the form below.
- 4. Those who submit their forms to the NELS Office by September 14th will be entered into a drawing for a new Kindle Wi-fi e-Reader! The winning library will be selected in a random drawing on September 17th.



Kindle Wi-fi 6 inch E-ink screen

Week of Weeding Participation Form

| Library |
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| Section Weeded |
| How many books were weeded? (roughly, doesn't have to be exact) |
| Best (or worst) thing that was weeded out? |
| We'd love to see some "before & after" photos of your project! You can email digital pictures or submit printed photos with this participation form. (While we'd love to see them, they are not required and will not affect your library's chance of winning the e-Reader.) |